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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex Parte -- CC Docket No. 01-277: Application by BellSouth for

Authorization to Provide In-Region InterLATA Services in Georgia and Louisiana

Dear Ms. Salas:

Chris Frentrup and I, on behalf of WorldCom, Inc., spoke by telephone today with Deena Shetler and Marvin Sacks of the Common Carrier Bureau to discuss the calculations of the Daily Usage Feed ("DUF") charges set forth in WorldCom's initial comments and the accompanying Declaration of Chris Frentrup. In particular, we discussed the five different elements of the DUF charges in Georgia and Louisiana, the difficulty in obtaining precise information from BellSouth about how it intends to calculate the charges, and how the DUF in Georgia and Louisiana compares with other states.

Sincerely,

Keith L. Seat

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